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Honor Guard to Depart Tuesday Night from Sacramento for Annual St. Patrick's Day Parade in New York City

Members of the CDF Firefighters Honor Guard will perform in the annual St. Patrick's Day Parade in New York City on Friday, March 17. The honor guard is one of only two bands from California invited to play in the colorful parade. The group also will be performing for officials with the New York City Fire Department at a dinner on Thursday, March 16. The parade, billed as "the oldest, largest, and best in the world" will mark the 245th celebration in New York City on Saint Patrick's Day. The 24-member CDF group has a total of 16 pipe and drum players. Some of the guard members will be available for interviews at the Sacramento International Airport at 11 p.m. on Tuesday, March 14 prior to the group's departure.

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